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Sir:

This Election is filed in response to the office action mailed 15 July 2005. As this Election is being filed on or before 15 August 2005, no extension of time is believed to be necessary. However, in the event that an extension of time is deemed to be necessary, Applicant requests that such extension be granted, and the undersigned authorizes the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account 07-1765 in the appropriate amount. Also, in the event that any other fee is deemed to be necessary, the undersigned further authorizes the Commissioner to charge the above-identified Deposit Account in the appropriate amount.